

MID FLOWERS AND MUSIC

MANY BEAUTIFUL CELEBRATIONS OF THE RESURRECTION.

Easter Day Was Bright and Clear, and Thousands Filled Portland Churches With Praise.

Easter day dawned bright and clear. All nature seemed to rejoice that the penitential Lenten period is past, and smiled on the simplicity and the resurrection of Christ.

The delightful weather was most auspicious for the display of Easter millinery, and it was a display that excited admiration. Not only a few, but scores of hundreds of milliners were seen in every church, and in every part of the city.

"MORE THAN CONQUERORS."

Rev. W. S. Gilbert's Sermon at Calvary Church.

Music and decorations at Calvary Presbyterian Church were equal to the highest Easter expectations. In adorning the auditorium, simplicity and grace, without any show of lavishness, dominated the ideas of the designers.

AT SECOND BAPTIST.

Sermon on "Three-Fold Power of the Resurrection."

Rev. Ray Palmer preached at the Second Baptist Church yesterday morning on "The Three-Fold Power of Christ's Resurrection." Mr. Palmer took for his text Phil. 3:10, and among other things said: "Paul's prayer is sublimely significant; 'That I may know the power of his resurrection.'"

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Galilee, and then to 500 brethren at once, and for a day was seen of men. Or how that the disciples could not have been deceived, and how that the resurrection of Christ stands among the best attested facts of history, and how that the Church was founded upon this fact, after the disciples had scattered in despair after the crucifixion; and how that the very leaders in the crucifixion and in the early persecutions became converts to the fact of Christ's resurrection?

"No! While we are glad to recall all these things and to remember all the sacred events of the first Easter tide, it is the Easter message that shall be the hero of Gettysburg spend all the rest of his life trying to prove that victory was won at Gettysburg? No. The United States is the victor, and the power of Christ's resurrection. Christ is risen! We are more than conquerors! And all the world is full of victory."

"RISEN WITH CHRIST."

Easter Services at Grace Methodist Church.

The sermon at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church was by the pastor, Rev. Hugh D. Achtion, who selected for his subject, "Risen With Christ." The text was, "If ye be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above."

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and to receive it into their very lives and hearts, they would be better Christians and have more influence. It is because we only half believe it and are so indifferent that our influence and power for good are not greater.

"Christ's natural body was resurrected. In him there was an inherent power that retained decomposition. Dissolution of his body was impossible, because Christ was divine and, therefore, sinless and incorruptible.

"It was for us, for you and for me, that he bore the agony of the cross and went down into the silence and gloom of the tomb. And it was for us that he said, 'O grave, where is thy victory, O death, where is thy sting? It is this that makes it possible for us to say calmly when we lay down our heads away from this world, 'Thy will, O Lord, not mine, be done.'"

EASTER AT THE CATHEDRAL.

Rev. J. C. Hughes' Sermon, and the Music Was the Feature.

Solemn pontifical high mass was celebrated at the Cathedral yesterday by Archbishop Christie, assisted by a number of bishops.

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Pontifical High Mass Offered by the Archbishop.

Most Rev. Alexander Christie offered up solemn pontifical high mass at St. Mary's Cathedral yesterday morning. The services were solemn and impressive, and the congregation was very large.

REUBEN GANT.



OREGON PIONEER OF 1845.

Among the sturdy pioneers of 1845, none hold a more honorable place among those who know them than Reuben Gant, now living at Philomath, Benton county. He was born in Franklin county, Indiana, May 14, 1818, and hence lacks but a few weeks of being 82 years of age.

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"Christ Our Passover," by Sheppard, was sung by the chorists. The solos were rendered by the Misses Springer and Stanton, and Mr. George Watkins. "So Shall It Be in That Bright Morning," by Porter, was impressively sung by Miss M. Stanton. At the morning service Rev. J. B. Lister, of Eugene, presented the resurrection of the Christ as related to the missionary work in America and the whole world.

Rev. J. F. Gormley preached in the evening, taking for his theme: "The Power of His Resurrection." A number of people were received into the fellowship of the church, and the services of the entire day were very impressive and helpful.

FIRST CONGREGATIONALIST.

Features Were Large Congregations and Fine Music.

The choir at the First Congregationalist Church yesterday morning rendered a well-arranged programme in a pleasing manner to a large congregation. The rendition of the numbers was marked by the finest harmony and expression, which was especially notable in the simple hymn "Savior, Who Died for Me."

EASTER ON THE EAST SIDE.

Beautiful Floral Decorations at All the Churches.

At nearly all the East Side churches yesterday morning or evening, Easter services were held. Decorations of lilacs, wild dogwood bloom, and lilacs adorned the altars. At the Centenary Church, Dr. Rockwell spoke with eloquence of the joy of the resurrection.

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alternately held white and purple lilacs, the odor of which was charming. Hung across the front of the church was a floral piece bearing in striking letters, "Christ Has Risen." The music was exceedingly good. The choir has been practicing for this occasion for a considerable time.

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SERVICE OF SONG.

Easter Programme at the Sunnyside Methodist Church.

The Easter programme given last night by the Sunnyside Methodist Church, by the Sunday school, was very elaborate and attractive. A large audience was present. After the organ voluntary, by D. Crockett, and the anthem, "Christ is Risen," by the choir, C. A. Gaska, superintendent, made an address of greeting.

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RAILROAD ON FRONT STREET

Franchise an Act of Justice to the Southern Portion of the City.

PORTLAND, April 15.—(To the Editor.)—In the argument before the street committee relating to a franchise for a railroad on Front street, to be operated at night time only, Mr. W. M. Ladd attempted to show that the great majority of people interested were opposed to the franchise, by showing that the majority on the street were opposed. But they are not, by any means, the only ones interested. The various manufacturing establishments along the river front from Jefferson street to the city boundary, a stretch of three miles, are interested in getting an outlet for their products, and in being placed on an equality with like establishments in other portions of the city, and, therefore, are interested in every property-owner of Portland south of Washington street is interested, as such an outlet would tend to keep business and prices in all that part of the city from depreciating, as it would, if the franchise is denied, and the future manufactures of Portland are driven down the river to St. Johns.

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Advertisement for Havana-American Company cigars. Text: "More than your money's worth. The Havana-American Company's guarantee of superiority of workmanship and quality of tobacco is behind La Preferencia, and all lovers of a rich, fragrant cigar may rely on our statement that when you buy La Preferencia you get more than your money's worth." Includes image of a cigar pack and contact information for S. Sichel & Co. and S. Bachman & Co.